

**Council on Postsecondary Education  
Committee on Equal Opportunities  
June 19, 2006**

**CEO Retreat and Planning**

It is suggested that the CEO schedule a retreat August 15, 2006, to examine its process for conducting campus visits and address planning issues for the next year.

Since the late 1980s when the CEO was created and given its charge to oversee the implementation of the EEO plans, the desegregation and diversity landscape has undergone significant change, the membership of the committee has changed, and the leadership at the institutions have changed thereby, suggesting that the committee may benefit from examining its process and realign its approach, if necessary, to insure that the campus visits are serving the intended purpose.

The postsecondary system anticipates completing a statewide diversity study to guide state's efforts under future EEO plans, the results of a campus visit process audit could serve as the first step toward establishing a more responsive process for implementing more aggressive programs to increase and sustain a more diverse campus community.

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